

**Councilmember David E. Ryu, 4th District
Briefing Memorandum
Constituent Meeting with Patrick Pascal**

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EVENT: Meeting with Patrick Pascal
Recommended by: (Office Hours)

DATE: Monday, December 21, 2015

Location: City Hall

Exact Time of Arrival: 2:00 pm

Exact Time of Departure: 2:30 pm

Event Contact: Patrick Pascal

BACKGROUND:

Patrick Pascal is a member of LFIA who requested a meeting after attending the transportation forum at the Autry on Dec. 9th. He would like to discuss a number of issues, including his involvement with a number of organizations and programs.

He is a 35-year resident of Los Feliz with a long history in the neighborhood (his mother was in Marshall's first class). One of the houses from the architectural slideshow was his and his wife's on Los Feliz Blvd.

Some of the issues he would like to discuss:

1. As Chair of the Board at St. Anne's in the Rampart district, I lead our efforts to provide important services to pregnant and parenting teens from throughout Los Angeles including residential treatment for those with mental health issues. We also house the first all-girl charter high school in the state, serving these residents and other members of the community. Additionally, St Anne's provides early learning services (through a contract with LACOE) to over 600 underprivileged children including 200 residents of Koreatown. Lastly, we will be breaking ground this month on 39 permanent affordable housing units at Beverly and Commonwealth. After 107 years, St Anne's continues to meet the needs of some of our least advantaged citizens.

2. As a Board member at St. Vincent de Paul, my activities are centered on homeless issues throughout Los Angeles and we are presently considering committing more funds and efforts to this crisis. SVdP recently opened a small project at Virgil and Lexington to begin this process.
3. Beyond these important public efforts, I believe that I offer a unique insight into the issues of Los Feliz where my wife and I have restored one of the architectural treasures that were shown at Monday's meeting. Living 35 years in the same house (just north of Los Feliz Blvd) has given me a perspective on trends and issues few other residents can offer. For example, the LFIA became much too close to Councilman LaBonge and (in my opinion) traded city hall access and favoritism to that neighborhood over effective leadership for the district.

About Patrick Pascal (from Chelsea Management website)



"Mr. Pascal has over 30 years experience in the investment industry. His investment career began at Crowell Weedon & Co. where he ultimately ran a specialist post on the Pacific Stock Exchange while earning his undergraduate degree at USC. In 1990 he formed his own investment firm providing asset management and brokerage services. After serving several years as an outside member of Chelsea Management's Investment Committee, he joined the firm in 2002 and is now the committee Co-Chairman. He was named President of the firm in 2010.

Born in Ireland, Patrick has lived in Los Angeles for nearly 50 years, where he and his wife have raised two children. He serves on several charitable boards. Mr. Pascal's interests include 20th Century California history and architectural preservation."

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